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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A memory device carrying a set of instructions which, when executed, perform a method comprising:

receiving user information;

receiving mode information identifying a locate mode;

receiving information identifying a list containing at least one item to be located; and indicating on a numeric display positioned on a shelf within a cabinet the number of different variety of items on the list held by that shelf.

- 2. (previously presented) The memory device of claim 1 additionally comprising receiving patient information.
- 3. (currently amended) A memory device carrying a set of instructions which, when executed, perform a method comprising:

receiving user information;

unlocking certain doors of a dispensing cabinet in response to said user information;

receiving patient information;

receiving mode information identifying a locate mode;

receiving a list containing at least one item to be located;

flashing a display positioned on a shelf within the cabinet with the number of different variety of items on the list held by that shelf;

receiving information selecting a compartment; and

zeroing the display in response to the selection of a compartment.

- 4. (canceled)
- 5. (canceled)
- 6. (canceled))
- 7. (previously presented) The memory device of claim 1 additionally comprising unlocking certain doors of the cabinet in response to said user information.
- 8. (previously presented) The memory device of claim 7 additionally comprising receiving a log off instruction and locking the unlocked doors in response to the receipt of said log off instruction.

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- 9. (previously presented) The memory device of claim 1 wherein said indicating includes flashing the number of different items on the numeric display.
 - 10. (previously presented) The memory device of claim 3 additionally comprising: receiving the number of items taken from the selected compartment; displaying the number of items taken on the display; receiving a log off instruction; and locking the unlocked doors.
 - 11. (canceled)